## N00014-12-Q-0017

## "Simultaneous Language Interpretation (SLIS) Services & Audio Visual Support"

This is a combined synopsis/solicitation for commercial items prepared in accordance with FAR Part 13 Simplified Acquisition Procedures and (FAR) Subpart 12.6 Streamlined Procedures for Evaluation and Solicitation for Commercial Items, as supplemented with additional information included in this notice. This announcement constitutes the only solicitation; quotes are being requested and a written solicitation will not be issued. This solicitation, "Simultaneous Language Interpretation (SLIS) Services & Audio visual Support", is issued as a Request for Quote (RFQ). The solicitation document and incorporated provisions and clauses are those in effect through Federal Acquisition Circular 2005-60, dated 26 JUL 2012 and DFARS Change Notice 20120724. The associated North American Industry classification System (NAICS) code is 541930 and small business size standard is \$7,000,000. This is a small business set-aside.

## 1.0 Program Background

- 1.1 The Office of Naval Research (ONR), located in Arlington, Virginia, is the Department of the Navy's science and technology provider. ONR provide solutions for Navy and Marine Corps needs. Its mission is to plan, foster and encourage scientific research in recognition of its paramount importance as related to the maintenance of future naval power and the preservation of national security. A key part of ONR's mission involves building and fostering international connections.
- 1.2 ONR is serving as the U.S. host for the NATO Science and Technology Board (STB) Conference in Norfolk, Va. The NATO STB will hold its annual fall meeting in Norfolk, VA from 10-14 September 2012. Attendees will include S&T leaders from all 28 NATO nations, along with other invited guests. The purpose of the meeting is to review progress of the wide variety of cooperative NATO science and technology efforts and to plan for future programs and studies. The review will also include programs conducted by the NATO Centre for Maritime Research and Experimentation (formerly known as the NATO Undersea Research Centre). The week will include a Symposium on "Science and Technology for Urban Operations" and a meeting of the NATO S&T Strategy Development Team.

## 2.0 OBJECTIVE/SCOPE

- **2.1 OBJECTIVE:** The Office of Naval Research in support of the NATO STB meeting requires onsite oral simultaneous language interpretation system (SLIS) services during the duration of the Conference. Interpretation will be to and from the English and French languages.
- **2.2 SCOPE:** The services shall be provided during the duration of the NATO STB Conference scheduled for 10 September 2012 14 September 2012 at Marriott Norfolk Waterside Hotel. Please refer to the draft agenda below:

## Draft Agenda (Anticipated hours 8:00 am to 5:00 pm daily)

9 Sept - Set Up

10 Sept - Working Meals, Plenary Session, Bilateral Meetings as required

11 Sept - Working Meals, Plenary Session, Bilateral Meetings as required

- 12 Sept Working Meals, Plenary Session, Bilateral Meetings as required
- 13 Sept Working Meals, Plenary Session, Bilateral Meetings as required
- 14 Sept Plenary Session, Bilateral Meetings as required for half day, Tear Down

## 3.0 PERFORMANCE WORK STATEMENT (PWS) REQUIREMENTS

- **3.1 Interpretation Services:** The Contractor shall provide SLIS during all plenary sessions of the NATO STB Conference. Additionally, the Contractor shall provide consecutive interpretation equipment during bilateral sessions upon request. Interpretation equipment will not be needed in more than one room concurrently.
- **3.1.1** The Contractor shall provide interpretation recording of military and diplomatic subject matter using clear and concise equipment within the appropriate ethnic/cultural context.
- **3.1.2** The interpretations shall be performed simultaneously during guest speaker presentation, and plenary discussions, and consecutively during bilateral meetings, utilizing Contractor provided equipment for the broadcast and reception of interpreted speech by conference participants. Participant headsets that are unobtrusive and comfortable are preferred. The ability of participants to adjust the volume of the interpretation is preferred.
- **3.1.3** The Contractor shall provide an on-site coordinator at all times during the conference, to ensure that services are provided as required and to facilitate changes to the agenda upon request. Changes to the agenda shall be at no additional cost to the Government.
- **3.1.4** The Contractor shall not disclose any part of any interpreted speech, discussion, conversation that is generated during the Conference with any other group, party or individual, without prior approval of the Government. The communication of any part of the Conference by written or electronic means, by any format, is prohibited except for that allowed under this PWS to perform interpretation as required. Contractor personnel assigned to this requirement will be required to complete a Non-Disclosure Agreement (NDA).
- **3.2 Technical Services:** The Contractor's on-site coordinator shall additionally be responsible for coordinating all aspects of the Contractor's technical requirements for the Contractor's equipment with the hotel to fulfill the requirements of this PWS.
- **3.2.1** The Contractor shall provide sufficient technical personnel for the purposes of setting-up, relocating, tear-down/removal and ensuring continuous operation of all equipment used during the duration of the conference.
- 3.3 Equipment: The Contractor shall provide equipment necessary to support up to 150 participants during the conference and shall consist of an sufficient quantity of receivers, transmitters, headphones or other participant devices, microphones, amplifiers, channel audio and central control units, interpreter equipment, video cameras, video monitors, video switchers, sound system and/or any other equipment required by the Contractor to provide continuous interpretation services. Preference will be given to a contractor who utilizes a SLIS comprised of the integrated Bosch digital IR with Bosch Next Generation Microphones and PTZ Camera with Audipak Booths or an industry standard equivalent. Digital IR will facilitate successful interpretation as there is limited and sometimes no line-of-sight between interpreters and all conference speakers.

In addition, standard AV support to include LCD Projectors and all supporting equipment will also be required for the plenary session and bilateral meeting rooms in which some bilateral sessions overlap. (See Section 3.3.2 below)

The Contractor shall also provide office equipment to include five (5) desktop computers, one (1) black and white printer, one (1) color printer, and one (1) high speed copier for the duration of the event.

- **3.3.1** The quality and level of the interpreted voice received by participants shall be clearly audible without static, interference or loss of sound. Equipment malfunctions shall be corrected and shall not exceed a five minute loss.
- **3.3.2** Audio and/or visual equipment will be set up on multiple rooms within the same conference venue. The following areas require set-up. Coordination with the Conference Coordinator is required.

**a.** NATO STB Plenary Session Room (one) - audio and visual (interpreted event)

**b.** Breakout Sessions (two) - audio and visual

c. NATO STB Staff Offices (one) - audio and office equipment

- **3.3.3** Equipment and/or cable placement shall not interfere with hotel meal service.
- **3.3.4** Cables shall be placed and installed to minimize the potential for tripping or other hazard to conference participants, hotel or other employees.
- **3.3.5** Equipment must be able to handle where there is no line-of-sight between interpreters and all conference speakers.

#### 3.4 DELIVERABLES

Contractor shall render/furnish 2 digital copies of the translation recordings immediately following the conclusion of the event via CD/DVD ROM.

#### 3.4.1 DELIVERY AND ACCEPTANCE

Delivery and acceptance of digital copies for the translation recordings is F.O.B. Destination to the Conference Coordinator at on site location, Marriott Norfolk Waterside Hotel.

## 4.0 QUALITY ASSURANCE

4.1 The Contractor is responsible for implementing and maintaining a Quality Control Program (QCP) to ensure that the work performed meets or exceeds contract requirements and results in the correction of potential and/or actual problems. The QCP shall be implemented on the first day of contract performance. Of special interest to the Government are performance standards or metrics that address accuracy, interpretation quality, and sound reproduction quality. Please refer to the "Service Delivery Summary" below in regards to performance requirements and performance threshold expectations.

## 4.2 SERVICE DELIVERY SUMMARY

| Performance           | PWS       | Performance Threshold |
|-----------------------|-----------|-----------------------|
| Requirement           | Paragraph |                       |
| 1. Provide            | 3.0       | 100% delivery and     |
| simultaneous language |           | compliance.           |

| interpretation<br>equipment & Audio<br>Visual Support |       |                               |
|---|-------|-------------------------------|
| 2. Provide equipment for up to 150 participants       | 3.3   | 100% delivery and compliance. |
| 3. Sound quality clear and without static.            | 3.3.1 | 99% delivery and compliance.  |

4.3 Periodic Progress Meetings: The Contractor agrees to participate in periodic progress meetings during the period of the event. At these meetings, ONR's conference coordinator will help to facilitate the meetings and will contact the inspection and acceptance official from the ONR Corporate Strategic Communications Office, who will apprise the contractor of how the Government views the Contractor's performance and the Contractor will apprise the Government of problems, if any, being experienced. Appropriate action shall be taken to resolve outstanding issues. These meetings shall be at no additional cost to the Government.

## 5.0 GOVERNMENT FURNISHED PROPERTY AND SERVICES

- **5.1 FACILITIES & EQUIPMENT:** None provided.
- **5.2 RECORDS, FILES, DOCUMENTS, AND WORK PAPERS:** None provided.
- **5.3 UTILITY, TELEPHONE SERVICES:** None provided.

## 6.0 OTHER REQUIREMENTS

- 6.1 When performing work associated with this PWS, Contractor personnel will make clear to all individuals they deal with that they are Contractor employees and not DOD employees. When participating and introducing themselves during official events wherein DOD, non-DOD or foreign officials are present, Contractor personnel will identify themselves as employees of the Contractor.
- **6.2** Contractor personnel shall not make any commitment to non-DOD personnel, including a foreign official, which commits the expenditure of US Government resources.
- **6.3** Contractor personnel must be clearly identified (i.e. company shirt, pin, visible company ID, etc.) in a visible location as to who their employer is.
- **6.4** Contractor shall not provide personal services to ONR under this PWS. If Contractor employees are directed by any government employee at anytime to perform services not covered under this contract, the Contractor shall immediately notify the POC.

## 7.0 SECURITY REQUIREMENTS

**7.1** Security Requirements: The work performed under this PWS is UNCLASSIFIED and the Contractor is not required to have security level clearance.

#### 8.0 INSTRUMENT TYPE AND PERIOD OF PERFORMANCE

The Government intends to competitively award one (1) Firm Fixed Price (FFP) purchase order that represents the best value to the Government in accordance with the evaluation criteria set forth in this solicitation. The period of performance will be six (6) days.

#### 9.0 PAYMENT

The Office of Naval Research anticipates using Wide Area Workflow (WAWF) to pay invoices in accordance with DFARs 252.232-7003. Payment and invoice instructions under DFARS 252.232-7006 will be provided in the award.

## 10.0 RELEVANT CLAUSES

The clauses at FAR 52.212-1, Instructions to Offerors-Commercial Items, FAR 52.212-4 Contract Terms and Conditions—Commercial Items, and FAR 52.212-5 Contract Terms and Conditions Required To Implement Statutes or Executive Orders-Commercial Items, apply to this acquisition.

The following additional clauses cited within 52.212-5 are applicable: 52.222-50, 52.233-3, 52.233-4, 52.204-10, 52.209-6, 52.209-10, 52.219-6, 52.219-28, 52.222-3, 52.222-21, 52.222-26, 52.222-36, 52.223.18, 52.232-33, 52.239-1, 52.222-41 and 52.222-42.

The DFARs clause at 252.212-7001, Contract Terms and Conditions Required to Implement Statutes or Executive Orders Applicable to Defense Acquisitions of Commercial Items applies to this acquisition. The following additional clauses cited within this clause are applicable: 252.203-7000, and 252.232-7003.

The following additional FAR and DFARs clauses apply: FAR 52.204-7 Central Contractor Registration and DFARs 252.204-7004 Alternate A, Central Contractor Registration.

## 11.0 Quote/Proposal Requirements

Offerors should submit a complete quote package that includes the following sections: (1) Technical; (2) Price; (3) Completed Representations and Certification in accordance with FAR 52.212-3 Offeror Representations and Certifications-Commercial Items and DFARs 252.212-7000 Offeror Representations and Certifications-Commercial Items; (4) An affirmation that it has an active registration on the Central Contractor Registration (CCR), which is at the website <a href="www.ccr.gov">www.ccr.gov</a>; (5) An Acknowledgement of any Solicitation Amendments; and (6) A signed SF1449 or a statement specifying the extent of agreement with all terms, conditions, and provisions included in this solicitation. In addition, the following information shall be included in the Offeror's quote:

- Name, telephone number, fax, and email address of person(s) to be contacted in regard to specific questions related to the Offeror's quote and who is authorized to act on behalf of the Offeror;
- Taxpayer Identification Number; and
- CAGE Code

Offers that fail to furnish required representations or information, or reject the terms and conditions of this solicitation may be excluded from consideration. The representations and certifications are provided as an attachment.

Information for the technical portion should be a separate and segregable document from the price section. No price information should be included in the technical section. The cumulative length of the

technical and price sections shall not exceed ten (10) pages. The Representations and Certifications, CCR Affirmation, Acknowledgement of Amendments, and SF1449 (or alternate statement) are excluded from the page count. The quote should be written and organized to be compatible with the requirements outlined in this solicitation, company's organization and accounting structure, and proposed price.

The technical portion of the quote should include the following: (1) Offeror's understanding of and approach to the requirements (2) Explanation of how the quality and timeliness of work performance will be supervised and controlled and how the Offeror will coordinate with the Program Office; and (3) Information relative to previous efforts for the same or similar services provided in the past with points of contact information, particularly with customers from the federal government. The Offeror must have previous documented experience and expertise in providing simultaneous language interpretations for multi-national events. The use of interpretation equipment and language distribution system that is digital will be given first preference. Offerors demonstrating knowledge and/or experience supporting NATO events will be more highly rated.

The Offeror should submit a price portion of the quote that identifies the on-site oral simultaneous language interpretation system (SLIS) services and Audio Visual Support for six (6) days.

#### 12.0 BASIS FOR AWARD/EVALUATION FACTORS

A Purchase Order will be awarded to the responsible offeror whose offer represents the best value to the Government.

In order to determine which offeror represents the best overall value, offers will be evaluated in accordance with the following evaluation criteria; (1) Technical Factor (Offerors understanding of, approach to, and experience with the Support and Service requirements; Management Approach; and Past Performance), and (2) Price Factor. The Technical and Price factors are of equal importance. The Government will make an award to the responsible offeror whose offer represents the best value to the Government.

## 13.0 QUOTE SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Quotes must be received no later than 12:00 (noon) p.m. Local Eastern Time on 31 August 2012. Any quote that is received at the designated Government office after this exact time specified for receipt of quotes is "late" and will not be considered. All offerors will be notified via e-mail once the award process is completed. The Contract Specialist must receive any questions concerning the RFQ no later than two (2) business days before the response date of this solicitation, or the question may not be answered. Questions should be emailed to Contract Specialist Tracie Simmons at tracie.simmons@navy.mil. The quote hard copy package or email header should be marked with the solicitation number N00014-12-Q-0017 and the due date, and be addressed to Office of Naval Research, 875 North Randolph Street, Attention: Ms. Tracie Simmons – Suite W1261B, Arlington, VA 22203. The quote may then be mailed or delivered to the above address or sent via email to tracie.simmons@navy.mil. If the quote is sent via email, the contract specialist will respond with a receipt email. If a receipt email is not received, then the specialist did not receive your quote and your offer may not be considered for award. If sending an email, preferred attachment formats are Microsoft Word, Microsoft Excel and Portable Document format (PDF). Do not send zip files. Faxed quotes will not be accepted. It is anticipated that award start date will be 9 September 2012. As soon as the final evaluation process is completed, the Offeror will be notified via email of its selection or non-selection for an award.

The U.S. Postal Service continues to irradiate letters, flats, Express and Priority Mail with stamps for postage and other packages destine to government agencies. Due to potential delays in receiving mail,

Offerors are encouraged to use alternatives to the mail, such as delivery services, when submitting quotes. Offerors may also hand-deliver their quotes at the mailing address above, provided they pre-arrange a time and date prior to the closing of the solicitation with the Contract Specialist, Tracie Simmons at 703-696-7827.

**NOTE:** The following is the Representations and Certifications document required for Purchase Orders not exceeding \$150K. Please complete accordingly. An authorized signature is required on the last page.

## 52.212-3 -- Offeror Representations and Certifications -- Commercial Items.

As prescribed in 12.301(b)(2), insert the following provision:

## **Offeror Representations and Certifications -- Commercial Items (Apr 2012)**

An offeror shall complete only paragraphs (b) of this provision if the offeror has completed the annual representations and certificates electronically via <a href="https://www.acquisition.gov">https://www.acquisition.gov</a>. If an offeror has not completed the annual representations and certifications electronically at the ORCA website, the offeror shall complete only paragraphs (c) through (o) of this provision.

(a) Definitions. As used in this provision--

"Economically disadvantaged women-owned small business (EDWOSB) concern" means a small business concern that is at least 51 percent directly and unconditionally owned by, and the management and daily business operations of which are controlled by, one or more women who are citizens of the United States and who are economically disadvantaged in accordance with 13 CFR part 127. It automatically qualifies as a women-owned small business eligible under the WOSB Program.

"Forced or indentured child labor" means all work or service—

- (1) Exacted from any person under the age of 18 under the menace of any penalty for its nonperformance and for which the worker does not offer himself voluntarily; or
- (2) Performed by any person under the age of 18 pursuant to a contract the enforcement of which can be accomplished by process or penalties.

"Inverted domestic corporation," as used in this section, means a foreign incorporated entity which is treated as an inverted domestic corporation under 6 U.S.C. 395(b), *i.e.*, a corporation that used to be incorporated in the United States, or used to be a partnership in the United States, but now is incorporated in a foreign country, or is a subsidiary whose parent corporation is incorporated in a foreign country, that meets the criteria specified in 6 U.S.C. 395(b), applied in accordance with the rules and definitions of 6 U.S.C. 395(c). An inverted domestic corporation as herein defined does not meet the definition of an inverted domestic corporation as defined by the Internal Revenue Code at 26 U.S.C. 7874.

"Manufactured end product" means any end product in Federal Supply Classes (FSC) 1000-9999, except—

- (1) FSC 5510, Lumber and Related Basic Wood Materials;
- (2) Federal Supply Group (FSG) 87, Agricultural Supplies;

- (3) FSG 88, Live Animals;
- (4) FSG 89, Food and Related Consumables;
- (5) FSC 9410, Crude Grades of Plant Materials;
- (6) FSC 9430, Miscellaneous Crude Animal Products, Inedible;
- (7) FSC 9440, Miscellaneous Crude Agricultural and Forestry Products;
- (8) FSC 9610, Ores;
- (9) FSC 9620, Minerals, Natural and Synthetic; and
- (10) FSC 9630, Additive Metal Materials.

"Place of manufacture" means the place where an end product is assembled out of components, or otherwise made or processed from raw materials into the finished product that is to be provided to the Government. If a product is disassembled and reassembled, the place of reassembly is not the place of manufacture.

"Restricted business operations" means business operations in Sudan that include power production activities, mineral extraction activities, oil-related activities, or the production of military equipment, as those terms are defined in the Sudan Accountability and Divestment Act of 2007 (Pub. L. 110-174). Restricted business operations do not include business operations that the person (as that term is defined in Section 2 of the Sudan Accountability and Divestment Act of 2007) conducting the business can demonstrate—

- (1) Are conducted under contract directly and exclusively with the regional government of southern Sudan:
- (2) Are conducted pursuant to specific authorization from the Office of Foreign Assets Control in the Department of the Treasury, or are expressly exempted under Federal law from the requirement to be conducted under such authorization;
- (3) Consist of providing goods or services to marginalized populations of Sudan;
- (4) Consist of providing goods or services to an internationally recognized peacekeeping force or humanitarian organization;
- (5) Consist of providing goods or services that are used only to promote health or education; or
- (6) Have been voluntarily suspended.

Sensitive technology—

- (1) Means hardware, software, telecommunications equipment, or any other technology that is to be used specifically—
  - (i) To restrict the free flow of unbiased information in Iran; or
  - (ii) To disrupt, monitor, or otherwise restrict speech of the people of Iran; and
- (2) Does not include information or informational materials the export of which the President does not have the authority to regulate or prohibit pursuant to section 203(b)(3) of the International Emergency Economic Powers Act (50 U.S.C. 1702(b)(3)).

"Service-disabled veteran-owned small business concern"—

- (1) Means a small business concern—
  - (i) Not less than 51 percent of which is owned by one or more service-disabled veterans or, in the case of any publicly owned business, not less than 51 percent of the stock of which is owned by one or more service-disabled veterans; and
  - (ii) The management and daily business operations of which are controlled by one or more service-disabled veterans or, in the case of a service-disabled veteran with permanent and severe disability, the spouse or permanent caregiver of such veteran.
- (2) Service-disabled veteran means a veteran, as defined in 38 U.S.C. 101(2), with a disability that is service-connected, as defined in 38 U.S.C. 101(16).

"Small business concern" means a concern, including its affiliates, that is independently owned and operated, not dominant in the field of operation in which it is bidding on Government contracts, and qualified as a small business under the criteria in 13 CFR Part 121 and size standards in this solicitation.

"Subsidiary" means an entity in which more than 50 percent of the entity is owned—

- (1) Directly by a parent corporation; or
- (2) Through another subsidiary of a parent corporation.

"Veteran-owned small business concern" means a small business concern—

- (1) Not less than 51 percent of which is owned by one or more veterans(as defined at 38 U.S.C. 101(2)) or, in the case of any publicly owned business, not less than 51 percent of the stock of which is owned by one or more veterans; and
- (2) The management and daily business operations of which are controlled by one or more veterans.

"Women-owned business concern" means a concern which is at least 51 percent owned by one or more women; or in the case of any publicly owned business, at least 51 percent of the its stock is owned by one or more women; and whose management and daily business operations are controlled by one or more women.

"Women-owned small business concern" means a small business concern --

- (1) That is at least 51 percent owned by one or more women or, in the case of any publicly owned business, at least 51 percent of the stock of which is owned by one or more women; and
- (2) Whose management and daily business operations are controlled by one or more women.

"Women-owned small business (WOSB) concern eligible under the WOSB Program (in accordance with 13 CFR part 127)," means a small business concern that is at least 51 percent directly and unconditionally owned by, and the management and daily business operations of which are controlled by, one or more women who are citizens of the United States.

(b)

- (1) Annual Representations and Certifications. Any changes provided by the offeror in paragraph (b)(2) of this provision do not automatically change the representations and certifications posted on the Online Representations and Certifications Application (ORCA) website.
- (c) Offerors must complete the following representations when the resulting contract is to be performed in the United States or its outlying areas. Check all that apply.

| (1) <i>Small business concern</i> . The offeror represents as part of its offer that it [_] is, [_] is not a small business concern.  |  |  |  |
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| (2) Veteran-owned small business concern. [Complete only if the offeror represented itself as a small business concern in paragraph (c)(1) of this provision.] The offeror represents as part of its offer that it [_] is, [_] is not a veteran-owned small business concern.   |  |  |  |
| (3) Service-disabled veteran-owned small business concern. [Complete only if the offeror represented itself as a veteran-owned small business concern in paragraph (c)(2) of this provision.] The offeror represents as part of its offer that it [_] is, [_] is not a service-disabled veteran-owned small business concern.   |  |  |  |
| (4) Small disadvantaged business concern. [Complete only if the offeror represented itself as a small business concern in paragraph (c)(1) of this provision.] The offeror represents, for general statistical purposes, that it [_] is, [_] is not, a small disadvantaged business concern as defined in 13 CFR 124.1002.  |  |  |  |
| (5) Women-owned small business concern. [Complete only if the offeror represented itself as a small business concern in paragraph (c)(1) of this provision.] The offeror represents that it [_] is, [_] is not a women-owned small business concern.  |  |  |  |
| <b>Note:</b> Complete paragraphs (c)(8) and (c)(9) only if this solicitation is expected to exceed the simplified acquisition threshold.  |  |  |  |
| (6) WOSB concern eligible under the WOSB Program. [Complete only if the offeror represented itself as a women-owned small business concern in paragraph (c)(5) of this provision.] The offeror prepresents that—  |  |  |  |
| (i) It [_] is, [_] is not a WOSB concern eligible under the WOSB Program, has provided all the required documents to the WOSB Repository, and no change in circumstances or adverse decisions have been issued that affects its eligibility; and  |  |  |  |
| (ii) It [_] is, [_] is not a joint venture that complies with the requirements of 13 CFR part 127, and the representation in paragraph (c)(6)(i) of this provision is accurate for each WOSB concern eligible under the WOSB Program participating in the joint venture. [The offeror shall enter the name or names of the WOSB concern eligible under the WOSB Program and other small businesses that are participating in the joint venture:] Each WOSB concern eligible under the WOSB Program participating in the joint venture shall submit a separate signed copy of the WOSB representation. |  |  |  |
| (7) Economically disadvantaged women-owned small business (EDWOSB) concern. [Complete only if the offeror represented itself as a WOSB concern eligible under the WOSB Program in (c)(6) of this provision.] The offeror represents that—   |  |  |  |

| (i) It [_] is, [_] is not an EDWOSB concern, has provided all the required documents to the WOSB Repository, and no change in circumstances or adverse decisions have been issued that affects its eligibility; and  |
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| (ii) It [_] is, [_] is not a joint venture that complies with the requirements of 13 CFR part 127, and the representation in paragraph (c)(7)(i) of this provision is accurate for each EDWOSB concern participating in the joint venture. [The offeror shall enter the name or names of the EDWOSB concern and other small businesses that are participating in the joint venture:] Each EDWOSB concern participating in the joint venture shall submit a separate signed copy of the EDWOSB representation.  |
| (8) Women-owned business concern (other than small business concern). [Complete only if the offeror is a women-owned business concern and did not represent itself as a small business concern in paragraph (c)(1) of this provision.]. The offeror represents that it [_] is, a women-owned business concern.   |
| (9) <i>Tie bid priority for labor surplus area concerns</i> . If this is an invitation for bid, small business offerors may identify the labor surplus areas in which costs to be incurred on account of manufacturing or production (by offeror or first-tier subcontractors) amount to more than 50 percent of the contract price:   |
| (10) [Complete only if the solicitation contains the clause at FAR 52.219-23, Notice of Price Evaluation Adjustment for Small Disadvantaged Business Concerns, or FAR 52.219-25, Small Disadvantaged Business Participation Program—Disadvantaged Status and Reporting, and the offeror desires a benefit based on its disadvantaged status.]  |
| (i) General. The offeror represents that either—   |
| (A) It [_] is, [_] is not certified by the Small Business Administration as a small disadvantaged business concern and identified, on the date of this representation, as a certified small disadvantaged business concern in the CCR Dynamic Small Business Search database maintained by the Small Business Administration, and that no material change in disadvantaged ownership and control has occurred since its certification, and, where the concern is owned by one or more individuals claiming disadvantaged status, the net worth of each individual upon whom the certification is based does not exceed \$750,000 after taking into account the applicable exclusions set forth at 13 CFR 124.104(c)(2); or |
| (B) It [_] has, [_] has not submitted a completed application to the Small Business Administration or a Private Certifier to be certified as a small disadvantaged business concern in accordance with 13 CFR 124, Subpart B, and a decision on that application is pending, and that no material  |

change in disadvantaged ownership and control has occurred since its application was submitted.

| (ii) Joint Ventures under the Price Evaluation Adjustment for Small Disadvantaged Business Concerns. The offeror represents, as part of its offer, that it is a joint venture that complies with the requirements in 13 CFR 124.1002(f) and that the representation in paragraph (c)(10)(i) of this provision is accurate for the small disadvantaged business concern that is participating in the joint venture [The offeror shall enter the name of the small disadvantaged business concern that is participating in the joint venture:] |
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| (11) HUBZone small business concern. [Complete only if the offeror represented itself a small business concern in paragraph (c)(1) of this provision.] The offeror represents, as part of its offer, that  |
| (i) It [_] is, [_] is not a HUBZone small business concern listed, on the date of this representation, on the List of Qualified HUBZone Small Business Concerns maintained by the Small Business Administration, and no material changes in ownership and control, principal office, or HUBZone employee percentage have occurred since it was certified in accordance with 13 CFR part 126; and   |
| (ii) It [_] is, [_] is not a HUBZone joint venture that complies with the requirements of 13 CFR part 126, and the representation in paragraph (c)(11)(i) of this provision is accurate for each HUBZone small business concern participating in the HUBZone joint venture. [The offeror shall enter the names of each of the HUBZone small business concerns participating in the HUBZone joint venture:  |
| d) Representations required to implement provisions of Executive Order 11246   |
| (1) Previous contracts and compliance. The offeror represents that   |
| (i) It [_] has, [_] has not, participated in a previous contract or subcontract subjecto the Equal Opportunity clause of this solicitation; and  |
| (ii) It [_] has, [_] has not, filed all required compliance reports.   |
| (2) Affirmative Action Compliance. The offeror represents that   |
| (i) It [_] has developed and has on file, [_] has not developed and does not have on file, at each establishment, affirmative action programs required by rules and regulations of the Secretary of Labor (41 CFR parts 60-1 and 60-2), or   |
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- (ii) It [\_] has not previously had contracts subject to the written affirmative action programs requirement of the rules and regulations of the Secretary of Labor.
- (e) Certification Regarding Payments to Influence Federal Transactions (31 U.S.C. 1352). (Applies only if the contract is expected to exceed \$150,000.) By submission of its offer, the offeror certifies to the best of its knowledge and belief that no Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress or an employee of a Member of Congress on his or her behalf in connection with the award of any resultant contract. If any registrants under the Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 have made a lobbying contact on behalf of the offeror with respect to this contract, the offeror shall complete and submit, with its offer, OMB Standard Form LLL, Disclosure of Lobbying Activities, to provide the name of the registrants. The offeror need not report regularly employed officers or employees of the offeror to whom payments of reasonable compensation were made.
- (f) Buy American Act Certificate. (Applies only if the clause at Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) 52.225-1, Buy American Act Supplies, is included in this solicitation.)
  - (1) The offeror certifies that each end product, except those listed in paragraph (f)(2) of this provision, is a domestic end product and that for other than COTS items, the offeror has considered components of unknown origin to have been mined, produced, or manufactured outside the United States. The offeror shall list as foreign end products those end products manufactured in the United States that do not qualify as domestic end products, *i.e.*, an end product that is not a COTS item and does not meet the component test in paragraph (2) of the definition of "domestic end product." The terms "commercially available off-the-shelf (COTS) item," "component," "domestic end product," "end product," "foreign end product," and "United States" are defined in the clause of this solicitation entitled "Buy American Act—Supplies."
  - (2) Foreign End Products:

| LINE ITEM NO. | COUNTRY OF ORIGIN |
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## [List as necessary]

(3) The Government will evaluate offers in accordance with the policies and procedures of FAR Part 25.

- (1) Buy American Act -- Free Trade Agreements -- Israeli Trade Act Certificate. (Applies only if the clause at FAR 52.225-3, Buy American Act -- Free Trade Agreements -- Israeli Trade Act, is included in this solicitation.)
  - (i) The offeror certifies that each end product, except those listed in paragraph (g)(1)(ii) or (g)(1)(iii) of this provision, is a domestic end product and that for other than COTS items, the offeror has considered components of unknown origin to have been mined, produced, or manufactured outside the United States. The terms "Bahrainian, Moroccan, Omani, or Peruvian end product," "commercially available off-the-shelf (COTS) item," "component," "domestic end product," "end product," "foreign end product," "Free Trade Agreement country," "Free Trade Agreement country end product," "Israeli end product," and 'United States' are defined in the clause of this solicitation entitled "Buy American Act--Free Trade Agreements--Israeli Trade Act."
  - (ii) The offeror certifies that the following supplies are Free Trade Agreement country end products (other than Bahrainian, Moroccan, Omani, or Peruvian end products) or Israeli end products as defined in the clause of this solicitation entitled "Buy American Act—Free Trade Agreements—Israeli Trade Act":

Free Trade Agreement Country End Products (Other than Bahrainian or Moroccan End Products) or Israeli End Products:

| LINE ITEM NO. | COUNTRY OF ORIGIN |
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[List as necessary]

(iii) The offeror shall list those supplies that are foreign end products (other than those listed in paragraph (g)(1)(ii) or this provision) as defined in the clause of this solicitation entitled "Buy American Act—Free Trade Agreements—Israeli Trade Act." The offeror shall list as other foreign end products those end products manufactured in the United States that do not qualify as domestic end products, *i.e.*, an end product that is not a COTS item and does not meet the component test in paragraph (2) of the definition of "domestic end product."

Other Foreign End Products:

| LINE ITEM NO. | COUNTRY OF ORIGIN |
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| [List as necessary]   |  |   |
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|                       | he Government will eval<br>dures of FAR Part 25. | luate offers in accordance with the policies and  |
| I. If Alternate       | I to the clause at FAR 5                         | greements—Israeli Trade Act Certificate, Alternate (2.225-3 is included in this solicitation, substitute paragraph (g)(1)(ii) of the basic provision:             |
|                       | products as defined in                           | ertifies that the following supplies are Canadian end<br>the clause of this solicitation entitled "Buy<br>Trade Agreements—Israeli Trade Act":                    |
|                       | Canadian End Product                             | s:  |
|                       | Line   | e Item No.:   |
|                       | [List o  | as necessary]   |
| II. If Alternat       | e II to the clause at FAR                        | greements—Israeli Trade Act Certificate, Alternate 52.225-3 is included in this solicitation, substitute paragraph (g)(1)(ii) of the basic provision:             |
|                       | products or Israeli end                          | ertifies that the following supplies are Canadian end<br>products as defined in the clause of this solicitation<br>on ActFree Trade AgreementsIsraeli Trade Act": |
| Canadian or Israeli E | nd Products:                                     |   |
| Line Item No.:        |  | Country of Origin:  |
|                       |  |   |
| [List as necessary]   |  |   |
|                       |  | greements—Israeli Trade Act Certificate, Alternate 225-3 is included in this solicitation, substitute the   |

following paragraph(g)(1)(ii) for paragraph (g)(1)(ii) of the basic provision:

(g)(1)(ii) The offeror certifies that the following supplies are Free Trade Agreement country end products (other than Bahrainian, Korean, Moroccan, Omani, or Peruvian end products) or Israeli end products as defined in the clause of this solicitation entitled "Buy American Act—Free Trade Agreements—Israeli Trade Act":

Free Trade Agreement Country End Products (Other than Bahrainian, Korean, Moroccan, Omani, or Peruvian End Products) or Israeli End Products:

| Line Item No.: | Country of Origin: |
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## [List as necessary]

- (5) *Trade Agreements Certificate*. (Applies only if the clause at FAR 52.225-5, Trade Agreements, is included in this solicitation.)
  - (i) The offeror certifies that each end product, except those listed in paragraph (g)(5)(ii) of this provision, is a U.S.-made or designated country end product as defined in the clause of this solicitation entitled "Trade Agreements."
  - (ii) The offeror shall list as other end products those end products that are not U.S.-made or designated country end products.

#### Other End Products

| Line Item No.: | Country of Origin: |
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#### [*List as necessary*]

(iii) The Government will evaluate offers in accordance with the policies and procedures of FAR Part 25. For line items covered by the WTO GPA, the Government will evaluate offers of U.S.-made or designated country end products without regard to the restrictions of the Buy American Act. The Government will consider for award only offers of U.S.-made or designated country end products unless the Contracting Officer determines that there are no offers for such products or that the offers for such products are insufficient to fulfill the requirements of the solicitation.

| contract value i   | n Regarding Responsibility Matters (Executive Order 12689). (Applies only if the s expected to exceed the simplified acquisition threshold.) The offeror certifies, to nowledge and belief, that the offeror and/or any of its principals   |
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| . ,  | Are, [_] are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, or dineligible for the award of contracts by any Federal agency;  |
| of or hat<br>offense<br>or local<br>relating<br>bribery, | Have, [_] have not, within a three-year period preceding this offer, been convicted d a civil judgment rendered against them for: commission of fraud or a criminal in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a Federal, state government contract or subcontract; violation of Federal or state antitrust statutes to the submission of offers; or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, tax evasion, g Federal criminal tax laws, or receiving stolen property; and |
| by a Go  | Are, [_] are not presently indicted for, or otherwise criminally or civilly charged vernment entity with, commission of any of these offenses enumerated in ph (h)(2) of this clause; and   |
| of any d   | Have, [_] have not, within a three-year period preceding this offer, been notified lelinquent Federal taxes in an amount that exceeds \$3,000 for which the liability unsatisfied.  |

- (i) Taxes are considered delinquent if both of the following criteria apply:
  - (A) *The tax liability is finally determined*. The liability is finally determined if it has been assessed. A liability is not finally determined if there is a pending administrative or judicial challenge. In the case of a judicial challenge to the liability, the liability is not finally determined until all judicial appeal rights have been exhausted.
  - (B) *The taxpayer is delinquent in making payment*. A taxpayer is delinquent if the taxpayer has failed to pay the tax liability when full payment was due and required. A taxpayer is not delinquent in cases where enforced collection action is precluded.

## (ii) Examples.

(A) The taxpayer has received a statutory notice of deficiency, under I.R.C. §6212, which entitles the taxpayer to seek Tax Court review of a proposed tax deficiency. This is not a delinquent tax because it is not a final tax liability. Should the taxpayer seek Tax Court review, this will not be a final tax liability until the taxpayer has exercised all judicial appear rights.

- (B) The IRS has filed a notice of Federal tax lien with respect to an assessed tax liability, and the taxpayer has been issued a notice under I.R.C. §6320 entitling the taxpayer to request a hearing with the IRS Office of Appeals Contesting the lien filing, and to further appeal to the Tax Court if the IRS determines to sustain the lien filing. In the course of the hearing, the taxpayer is entitled to contest the underlying tax liability because the taxpayer has had no prior opportunity to contest the liability. This is not a delinquent tax because it is not a final tax liability. Should the taxpayer seek tax court review, this will not be a final tax liability until the taxpayer has exercised all judicial appeal rights.
- (C) The taxpayer has entered into an installment agreement pursuant to I.R.C. §6159. The taxpayer is making timely payments and is in full compliance with the agreement terms. The taxpayer is not delinquent because the taxpayer is not currently required to make full payment.
- (D) The taxpayer has filed for bankruptcy protection. The taxpayer is not delinquent because enforced collection action is stayed under 11 U.S.C. §362 (the Bankruptcy Code).
- (i) Certification Regarding Knowledge of Child Labor for Listed End Products (Executive Order 13126). [The Contracting Officer must list in paragraph (i)(1) any end products being acquired under this solicitation that are included in the List of Products Requiring Contractor Certification as to Forced or Indentured Child Labor, unless excluded at 22.1503(b).]

#### (1) Listed End Product

| Listed End Product: | Listed Countries of Origin: |
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(2) Certification. [If the Contracting Officer has identified end products and countries of origin in paragraph (i)(1) of this provision, then the offeror must certify to either (i)(2)(i) or (i)(2)(ii) by checking the appropriate block.]

[\_] (i) The offeror will not supply any end product listed in paragraph (i)(1) of this provision that was mined, produced, or manufactured in the corresponding country as listed for that product.

[\_] (ii) The offeror may supply an end product listed in paragraph (i)(1) of this provision that was mined, produced, or manufactured in the corresponding country as listed for that product. The offeror certifies that is has made a good faith effort to determine whether forced or indentured child labor was used to mine, produce, or manufacture any such end product furnished under this

contract. On the basis of those efforts, the offeror certifies that it is not aware of any such use of child labor.

(j) Place of manufacture. (Does not apply unless the solicitation is predominantly for the

acquisition of manufactured end products.) For statistical purposes only, the offeror shall indicate whether the place of manufacture of the end products it expects to provide in response to this

| solicitation is predominantly—   |     |
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| (1) [_] In the United States (Check this box if the total anticipated price of offered end products manufactured in the United States exceeds the total anticipated price of offered end products manufactured outside the United States); or  |     |
| (2) [_] Outside the United States.   |     |
| (k) Certificates regarding exemptions from the application of the Service Contract Act. (Certification by the offeror as to its compliance with respect to the contract also constitutes it certification as to compliance by its subcontractor if it subcontracts out the exempt services.) The contracting officer is to check a box to indicate if paragraph (k)(1) or (k)(2) applies.] | S   |
| (1) [_] Maintenance, calibration, or repair of certain equipment as described in FAR 22.1003-4(c)(1). The offeror [_] does [_] does not certify that—  |     |
| (i) The items of equipment to be serviced under this contract are used regularly for other than Governmental purposes and are sold or traded by the offeror (or subcontractor in the case of an exempt subcontract) in substantial quantities to general public in the course of normal business operations;   |     |
| (ii) The services will be furnished at prices which are, or are based on, establish catalog or market prices (see FAR 22.1003-4(c)(2)(ii)) for the maintenance, calibration, or repair of such equipment; and  | hed |
| (iii) The compensation (wage and fringe benefits) plan for all service employee performing work under the contract will be the same as that used for these employees and equivalent employees servicing the same equipment of commercial customers.  | ès  |
| (2) [_] Certain services as described in FAR 22.1003-4(d)(1). The offeror [_] does [_] does not certify that—  |     |
| (i) The services under the contract are offered and sold regularly to non-Governmental customers, and are provided by the offeror (or subcontractor in take of an exempt subcontract) to the general public in substantial quantities in the course of normal business operations;   |     |
| (ii) The contract services will be furnished at prices that are, or are based on, established catalog or market prices (see FAR 22.1003-4(d)(2)(iii));   |     |

- (iii) Each service employee who will perform the services under the contract will spend only a small portion of his or her time (a monthly average of less than 20 percent of the available hours on an annualized basis, or less than 20 percent of available hours during the contract period if the contract period is less than a month) servicing the Government contract; and
- (iv) The compensation (wage and fringe benefits) plan for all service employees performing work under the contract is the same as that used for these employees and equivalent employees servicing commercial customers.
- (3) If paragraph (k)(1) or (k)(2) of this clause applies—
  - (i) If the offeror does not certify to the conditions in paragraph (k)(1) or (k)(2) and the Contracting Officer did not attach a Service Contract Act wage determination to the solicitation, the offeror shall notify the Contracting Officer as soon as possible; and
  - (ii) The Contracting Officer may not make an award to the offeror if the offeror fails to execute the certification in paragraph (k)(1) or (k)(2) of this clause or to contact the Contracting Officer as required in paragraph (k)(3)(i) of this clause.
- (1) Taxpayer identification number (TIN) (26 U.S.C. 6109, 31 U.S.C. 7701). (Not applicable if the offeror is required to provide this information to a central contractor registration database to be eligible for award.)
  - (1) All offerors must submit the information required in paragraphs (1)(3) through (1)(5) of this provision to comply with debt collection requirements of 31 U.S.C. 7701(c) and 3325(d), reporting requirements of 26 U.S.C. 6041, 6041A, and 6050M, and implementing regulations issued by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS).
  - (2) The TIN may be used by the government to collect and report on any delinquent amounts arising out of the offeror's relationship with the Government (31 U.S.C. 7701(c)(3)). If the resulting contract is subject to the payment reporting requirements described in FAR 4.904, the TIN provided hereunder may be matched with IRS records to verify the accuracy of the offeror's TIN.]

| (3) Tax | payer Identification Number (TIN).   |
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|         | [_] TIN:   |
|         | [_] TIN has been applied for.  |
|         | [_] TIN is not required because:   |
|         | [_] Offeror is a nonresident alien, foreign corporation, or foreign partnership that does not have income effectively connected with the conduct of a trade or |

| business in the United States and does not have an office or place of business or a fiscal paying agent in the United States;  |
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| [_] Offeror is an agency or instrumentality of a foreign government;   |
| [_] Offeror is an agency or instrumentality of the Federal Government;   |
| (4) Type of organization.  |
| [_] Sole proprietorship;   |
| [_] Partnership;   |
| [_] Corporate entity (not tax-exempt);   |
| [_] Corporate entity (tax-exempt);   |
| [_] Government entity (Federal, State, or local);  |
| [_] Foreign government;  |
| [_] International organization per 26 CFR 1.6049-4;  |
| [_] Other  |
| (5) Common parent.   |
| [_] Offeror is not owned or controlled by a common parent:   |
| [_] Name and TIN of common parent:   |
| Name   |
| TIN  |
| (m) Restricted business operations in Sudan. By submission of its offer, the offeror certifies that the offeror does not conduct any restricted business operations in Sudan.  |
| (n) Prohibition on Contracting with Inverted Domestic Corporations—  |
| (1) <i>Relation to Internal Revenue Code</i> . An inverted domestic corporation as herein defined does not meet the definition of an inverted domestic corporation as defined by the Internal Revenue Code 25 U.S.C. 7874. |
| (2) Representation. By submission of its offer, the offeror represents that—   |

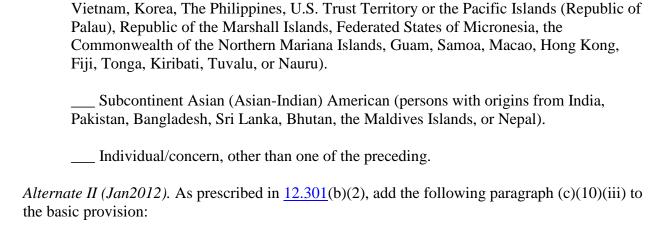
- (i) It is not an inverted domestic corporation; and
- (ii) It is not a subsidiary of an inverted domestic corporation.
- (o) Sanctioned activities relating to Iran. (1) The offeror shall email questions concerning sensitive technology to the Department of State at <a href="mailto:CISADA106@state.gov">CISADA106@state.gov</a>.
  - (2) Representation and Certification. Unless a waiver is granted or an exception applies as provided in paragraph (o)(3) of this provision, by submission of its offer, the offeror—
    - (i) Represents, to the best of its knowledge and belief, that the offeror does not export any sensitive technology to the government of Iran or any entities or individuals owned or controlled by, or acting on behalf or at the direction of, the government of Iran; and
    - (ii) Certifies that the offeror, or any person owned or controlled by the offeror, does not engage in any activities for which sanctions may be imposed under section 5 of the Iran Sanctions Act.
  - (3) The representation and certification requirements of paragraph (o)(2) of this provision do not apply if—
    - (i) This solicitation includes a trade agreements certification (e.g., 52.212-3(g) or a comparable agency provision); and
    - (ii) The offeror has certified that all the offered products to be supplied are designated country end products.

(End of Provision)

Alternate I (Apr 2011). As prescribed in  $\underline{12.301}$ (b)(2), add the following paragraph (c)(12) to the basic provision:

| or (c)(10) of this provision.)                                       | ⊦ <i>)</i> |
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| [The offeror shall check the category in which its ownership falls]: |            |
| Black American.  |            |

| J | Hispanic American.   |
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| 1 | Native American (American Indians, Eskimos, Aleuts, or Native Hawaiians).  |
|   | Asian-Pacific American (persons with origins from Burma, Thailand, Malaysia, nesia, Singapore, Brunei, Japan, China, Taiwan, Laos, Cambodia (Kampuchea), |



(iii) Address. The offeror represents that its address [\_]is, [\_] is not in a region for which a small disadvantaged business procurement mechanism is authorized and its address has not changed since its certification as a small disadvantaged business concern or submission of its application for certification. The list of authorized small disadvantaged business procurement mechanisms and regions is posted at <a href="http://www.acquisition.gov/References/sdbadjustments.htm">http://www.acquisition.gov/References/sdbadjustments.htm</a>. The offeror shall use the list in effect on the date of this solicitation. "Address," as used in this provision, means the address of the offeror as listed on the Small Business Administration's register of small disadvantaged business concerns or the address on the completed application that the concern has submitted to the Small Business Administration or a Private Certifier in accordance with 13 CFR part 124, subpart B. For joint ventures, "address" refers to the address of the small disadvantaged business concern that is participating in the joint venture.

DFARS 252.209-7998 Representation Regarding Conviction of a Felony Criminal Violation under any Federal or State Law.

# REPRESENTATION REGARDING CONVICTION OF A FELONY CRIMINAL VIOLATION UNDER ANY FEDERAL OR STATE LAW (DEVIATION 2012-00007) (MAR 2012)

- (a) In accordance with section 514 of Division H of the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2012, none of the funds made available by that Act may be used to enter into a contract with any corporation that was convicted of a felony criminal violation under any Federal or State law within the preceding 24 months, where the awarding agency is aware of the conviction, unless the agency has considered suspension or debarment of the corporation and made a determination that this further action is not necessary to protect the interests of the Government.
- (b) The Offeror represents that it is [] is not [] a corporation that was convicted of a felony criminal violation under a Federal or State law within the preceding 24 months.

(End of provision)

DFARS 252.209-7999

Representation by Corporations Regarding an Unpaid Delinquent Tax Liability or a Felony Conviction under any Federal Law.

# REPRESENTATION BY CORPORATIONS REGARDING AN UNPAID DELINQUENT TAX LIABILITY OR A FELONY CONVICTION UNDER ANY FEDERAL LAW (DEVIATION 2012-00004) (JAN 2012)

| (a) In accordance with sections 8124 and 8125 of Division A of the Consolidated                |
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| Appropriations Act, 2012, (Pub. L. 112-74) none of the funds made available by that Act may be |
| used to enter into a contract with any corporation that—                                       |

- (1) Has any unpaid Federal tax liability that has been assessed, for which all judicial and administrative remedies have been exhausted or have lapsed, and that is not being paid in a timely manner pursuant to an agreement with the authority responsible for collecting the tax liability, where the awarding agency is aware of the unpaid tax liability, unless the agency has considered suspension or debarment of the corporation and made a determination that this further action is not necessary to protect the interests of the Government.
- (2) Was convicted of a felony criminal violation under any Federal law within the preceding 24 months, where the awarding agency is aware of the conviction, unless the agency has considered suspension or debarment of the corporation and made a determination that this action is not necessary to protect the interests of the Government.

## (b) The Offeror represents that—

- (1) It is [] is not [] a corporation that has any unpaid Federal tax liability that has been assessed, for which all judicial and administrative remedies have been exhausted or have lapsed, and that is not being paid in a timely manner pursuant to an agreement with the authority responsible for collecting the tax liability,
- (2) It is [] is not [] a corporation that was convicted of a felony criminal violation under a Federal law within the preceding 24 months.

(End of provision)

#### **SIGNATURE**

By signature hereto, or to an offer incorporating these representations and certifications, the offeror certifies that they are accurate, current, and complete and that he is aware of the penalty prescribed in 18 U.S.C. 1001 for making false statement in offers.

| Date                  | Name of Contractor |
|-----------------------|--------------------|
| Authorized Signature  |                    |
| Typed or Printed Name |                    |
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